

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of:

Ronald D. BLUM et al.

Application No.: 10/626,973

Filing Date: July 25, 2003

Group Art Unit:

2873

Examiner:

Jordan Marc Schwartz

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Title: SYSTEM, APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CORRECTING VISION USING

AN ELECTRO-ACTIVE LENS

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Enclosed is an Amendment After Final to the Office Action dated January 5, 2005 in connection with the above-identified patent application.

[]	A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.
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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in light of the amendments and remarks herein as follows:

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